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Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated September 18, 2001 enclosed are the following:

- 1. Filing Fees:
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- 2. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

Also enclosed, as required, is a copy of the PTO Form 1533 (Rev. 9/97), Notice to File Missing Parts of Application *Filing Date Granted*.

The fees have been calculated and no further fees are believed to be required. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1901.

Respectfully submitted,

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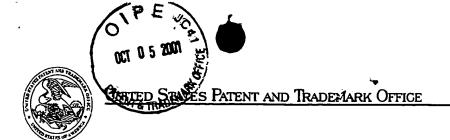
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration: Jerry E. Gunderman & George Wendell Hollenbeck
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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